

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS20754

Every five years the department renews a continuing Executive Order with the Office of the Governor designating ITD, and its Director, as the recipient of Federal Transit Administration program funds. A finding identified through the Zero Based Budgeting (ZBB) process recommended that the designation be codified rather than mandated through Executive Order. This move towards efficiency will eliminate the need to produce and track a new Executive Order every five years as well as providing consistent authority, strengthening program compliance.

Codifying this does not change any internal processes or authority but simply makes this designation to ITD permanent.

The department receives federal public transportation funding under authority granted by the Federal Transit Act, as amended. The department accepts minimum program goals as established by the Federal Transit Administration as a requirement to receive this funding. The department will require all subrecipients delivering public transportation services to embrace and pursue continual system improvements and efficiencies, organizational accountability, effective partnership, vision and mission of Idaho's Statewide Transportation plan, and implementation mechanisms that reduce taxpayer costs while improving public services.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact whether this legislation passes or fails.

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